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## Thanks.

We are sincerely thankful to our patrons for their handsome treatment during the past year. We have done our best to be obliging and treat all alike, and it is our intention to continue this policy in 1900. We have left a few strictly holiday goods that we will close out at about cost. Come at once.

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**Thacker & Brockmann.**

### ROOSEVELT WON'T RUN.

**WILL NOT Accept the Nomination for the Vice-Presidency.**

Albany, N. Y., Feb. 12—Governor Roosevelt today gave out a statement relative to the vice-presidency, in which he declared that he will not accept the honor under any circumstances.

His statement follows: "In view of the continued statements in the press that I may be urged as a candidate for vice-president, and in view of the many letters that reach me advising for and against such a course, it is proper for me to state definitely that under no circumstance would I or would I accept the nomination for the vice-presidency. It is needless to say deeply I appreciate the honor conferred upon me by the more desire to place me in so high and dignified a position. But it seems to me clear that at the present time my duty is here in the state whose people choose me to be governor."

"Great problems have been faced and are being partly solved in this state at this time, and if the people so desire, I hope that the work thus begun I may help carry to a successful conclusion."

The governor, in giving out his statement, said:

"And I am happy to state that Senator Pratt cordially acquiesces in my views in the matter."

"We feel cause enough exists, and sickness of various kinds than any other half dozen causes combined. This being the case, keep your feet dry. We have a lot of shoes to sell that are just a trifle shabby, not bust a bit, just as good as they were the day they came out of the factory, but you can have them with the profit all off and a good many of them at less than cost. When you come to think of it, twenty minutes wear in this kind of weather knocks all the "new out of a pair of shoes anyhow, so you can just as well buy a pair of these shoes as marked down and save fifty cents or a dollar. All sorts of shoes in this lot, men's, women's and children's. Thacker & Brockmann."

**At Cherry Station, Tenn., Jim Gordon, a negro, shot the throat of Mrs. George Collins with a butcher knife and was killed by the woman's husband.**

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**UNDER THE AMERICAN FLAG.**

**The Princeton Takes Possession of Tatianas and Calagan Islands.**

Manila, Feb. 12—It is reported that the United States gunboat Princeton visited the Tatianas and Calagan Islands which were omitted from the Par-

is of peace, being north of 20

degrees of latitude, raised American

flags and appointed native governors.

It is added that the Princeton found

the Japanese flag at the Hayat Island

and refrained from landing there, pending orders.

The Princeton occupied the North-

ern Island under a government order.

The report that the Japanese flag was

flying is not confirmed, but

there are rumors that Japan intended

to take the islands. The natives will-

ingly submitted the Americans for the

insurgent officials and took the baton

of a highly civilized society. And yet

he found himself unexpectedly pos-

sed of the power to make laws and

to govern. He was unprepared for it.

He could not use it intelligently.

It became a curse to him and to the

state. An experience of thirty years

has taught them nothing in this

respect. All men now realize the folly

of the fifteenth amendment of the con-

stitution of the United States.—Locke

Craig.

The Telegram received a message

this evening stating that Mrs. Col.

Leftwich died in Lynchburg today.

### JUSTICE ENDORSED.

**Rutherford puts Him Forward for Governor.**

Rutherford, Feb. 13—At the democ-

atic county convention held here

now, notwithstanding the fact that the town

was practically water-bound by reason

of heavy rains during the past few

days. The following resolution was

unanimously passed by a rising vote

of delegates to the state convention

after adjournment of the state con-

vention:

"Whereas in the coming campaign

it will beco me the chief task of

North Carolina to put forward its best

men, strongest campaigners and safest

leaders as candidates for offices, and

whereas Rutherford is the best

candidate for governor in the state,

we therefore nominate him for the

office of governor."

### GARRISON GAME AS EVER.

**Food Will Last—Congratulatory News for the British.**

By Cable to THE TELEGRAM

London, Feb. 13—A dispatch from

Rensselaer, dated yesterday morning,

gave cause for congratulations in its

statements that those who had occupied

Bastard's Neck and Hobkirk's Windmill

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BIG BOILER BLOWS UP.

The Durham Electric Lighting Plant Demolished.

Durham, N. C., Feb. 12.—At 5:15 o'clock yesterday afternoon the plant of the Durham Electric Lighting Company was destroyed by the explosion of one of the boilers.

The destruction is as near complete as could possibly be. The walls of the building were leveled with the ground; huge pieces of machinery were torn and twisted as if made of cardboard; brick, timber and iron were thrown hundreds of feet, and one boiler was ripped open, as if it had been paper and carried a hundred feet or more from where the explosion occurred.

Four men were in the building at the time, and, strange to say, they are alive at this time, though one is probably fatally injured. A negro who was walking along the railroad track is thought to be seriously hurt. The wounded men are as follows:

H. T. Brown, electrical engineer and superintendent of the plant; knee sprained and scalp wound. Injuries slight.

James Dumley, lineman; scalped about neck, face and arms. Thought to be fatal.

Clyde Dickinson, engineer, number of scalp wounds and bruises about the body. Condition not serious.

Bill Burnett, colored, fireman; burned about face and hands, small scalp wounds, scalded. Painful, but not serious.

Alex Lyon, colored, who was passing the plant at the time of the explosion; scalp wounds, cuts on face and neck, and bruised. Condition serious.

The explosion was heard for miles around and the shock was felt all over the city. Many who did not hear the explosion felt the shock and thought it was an earthquake. An idea of the terrific force of the explosion can be obtained from the fact that a heavy plate glass in the window of the Morehead Banking Company, four hundred yards from the plant, was broken and hundreds of smaller glass, nearer the scene, were mashed, in some instances, the sash being broken out with the glass.

When the explosion occurred, Mr. Brown, Mr. Lumley and Bill Burnett were in the boiler room and Mr. Dickinson was in the engine room. How they escaped instant death is a matter of profound mystery. After the explosion they were quickly taken from the wreckage, and Messrs. Lumley and Dickinson were sent to the Watts Hospital; Mr. Brown was able to take care of himself and went to his home. Burnett was taken out and sent home. Physicians were quickly summoned and every possible attention was given the wounded men.

Those in the building did not have a moment's warning before the terrible accident. Bill Burnett, who was sitting in front of the boiler drying his feet, says that all he remembers is that the boiler reared up and left its foundation. The next he knew he was buried beneath hot bricks and his hands were badly burned in extricating himself. The boiler that did not explode was buried some ten feet to one side, passing almost directly over the head of Mr. Brown. Mr. Lumley was also sitting in front of the boiler, and was thrown outside the building by the force of the explosion. He had to get assistance before he could free himself. Mr. Dickinson was bending behind an engine, filling some oil cups, and this saved his life, as the engine was bent into a shapeless mass.

The boiler that wrought such havoc was carried across the railroad about one hundred feet from the scene. It was split wide open from end to end, and it cut away a part of a railroad tool house in its flight. A piece of iron pipe some six inches in diameter struck the Central Hotel, about ninety or one hundred yards away, and tore a large hole in the weatherboarding. The plastering in Mayor McCown's room in this hotel was jarred off and eighteen large glass in the windows of the building were broken out. Another piece of flying debris struck a cow belonging to Mr. J. R. Day and broke

her back. This cow was about twenty-five yards from the scene of the explosion.

At the court house, about two hundred yards away, the damage was equally as severe as at the Central Hotel. Some thirty or forty large glass windows in the new building of Mr. J. W. Smith, opposite the hotel, was smashed out as if broken with an axe. Glasses were also broken out of the building used by Hackney Bros., druggists; S. M. Saider, jeweler; Morehead Banking Company and others. The last named building is about 450 or 500 yards from the scene.

The loss to the Electric Lighting Company is about \$25,000, which is insurance to the amount of \$16,000. The bulk of the stock of the plant is owned by Gen. J. S. Carr. New machinery had recently been placed in the building at a cost of from \$12,000 to \$15,000.

The explosion was due to a crystallized gun in the boiler that weakened it. It gave way under pressure of steam.

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Unrestfully removed the disease cause the most intense irritation and may a man up completely. The usual method of removing him is to widen the hole in the head, intact if possible, with a needle, care being taken that no eggs or young are left behind. The place should then be dressed to prevent festering. It is not advisable to march much after removing Jiggers, but unfortunately it is frequently unavoidable.

I am glad to mention that Lieutenant Col. M. M. Gould once told me that during his first visit to Uganda some natives caught a leopard in one of the banana plantations whose feet were so thoroughly diseased from Jiggers that he was quite unable to move or to defend himself.—Blackwood.

His Time to Fight.

"When General Grant was president," said a Washington man, "a certain kind of person was always ready to see him. One day, just after leaving the White House, this friend fell in with a fellow westerner in the White House grounds, and a heated encounter took place, which suddenly terminated by the general's friend knocking the other man down and out.

The master was bushed up, but the general, naturally indignant, called his friend to account, saying: "John, you've treated me and the office I hold with much discourtesy. Why did you do such a thing?"

"Well, sir, this was my way, general," replied the now thoroughly penitent one. "You know there was bad blood between us, and he had set all sorts of stories going about me. Just after leaving you I ran into him, and he at once accused me of doing a certain thing. As it was a lie I only laughed at him. Then he accused me of some thing else, and that being also a lie I jeered at him again, but his third accusation was true, and, by gosh, sir, I couldn't stand that, so I knocked him down."—New York Tribune.

Fay Day in China.

New Year's is the national day pay day in China. All accounts must be squared up at that time, and the man who can't raise money enough to pay his debts has to go into bankruptcy. The laws are such that the creditor can enter the debtor's house and take what he pleases if there is no settlement.

The poor, active families club together and make all sorts of compromises to keep up the business reputation of the clan. New Year's is a great day for the pawnbrokers. Their shops are crowded with people who want to redeem their best clothes before the new year. There are crowds also who want to pawn other things in order to get money to pay their debts. Pawnbrokers receive high rates of interest, in which they are protected by law.

The Chinese paint the whole country red on New Year's day in more senses than one. Red is the color which with them denotes good luck and prosperity, and all the New Year's cards and invitations are on paper of that color. Every child gets its New Year's present wrapped in red paper, and red inscriptions are pasted over the doors of the houses.—London Mail.

The Grumbling Star.

A noted divine has declared that a husband's grumbling and scolding were often only his way of beginning a conversation, and he maintained that if a man were sulky the worse he was the more cheerful his wife should be. Certainly husband and wife should bear and forbear, he says, and the soft answer turneth away wrath more effectively than the domineering husband. The business is often worrying, and the husband's calling home needs and family deserves to find there all soothing and calming medicines. But surely it should be mutual kindness. At times the man must take his turn in meeting irritability or low spirits with cheerfulness and kind, gentle consideration. As to the theory that the wise and best course man always just to give in and crouch before the storm, he does not think that is either good policy or real kindness ultimately to the man himself.

Not So Bad.

Critical Husband—This beef isn't fit to eat.

Wife—Well, I told the butcher that if it wasn't good I would send you back to his shop to give him a thrashing, and I hope you'll take some one with you, for he looked pretty fierce, and I didn't like the way he handled his big knife.

Husband—Humph! Oh, well, I will say I've seen worse meat than this—London Fun.

Turn About.

Mrs. Weeds—Oh, you remind me so much of my first husband!

Mr. Weeds—I'm glad to bear it. You've been reminding me of him so often.—Philadelphia Press.

The American consul at all foreign ports have the lawful right to examine intending emigrants for the United States for the purpose of ascertaining that they are fit for admission to this country.

In the Black sea no animal life of

any kind is found at a depth below 1,200 feet owing to the large amount of hydrosulphuric acid.

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QUART BOTTLES.

JUST SEEN IN TIME.

Slight Skin Eruptions are a Warning of Something More Serious to Come. The Only Safe Way is to Hold the Warning and Take Johnston's Sarsaparilla.

Nature, in her efforts to correct mistakes, which mistakes have come from careless living, or it may be from ancestors, shoots out pimples, blotches, and other imperfections on the skin, as a warning that more serious troubles (perhaps tumors, cancers, erysipelas or the like) are certain to follow if you neglect the health and correct the mistakes.

Many a lingering, painful disease and many an early death has been avoided by this notes of warning have been heeded and the blood kept simple.

Mr. Abbott J. Smith, of Chicago, Mich., writes:

"I was cured of a bad humor after suffering with it for five years. The doctors and my friends said it was salt rheum. It came out on my head, neck and ears, and then on my whole body. I was perfectly raw without any skin. I suffered during those five years, is not telling. Nobody can believe me if I did. I tried every remedy. I heard JOHNSTON'S SARSAPARILLA highly praised. I tried a bottle of it. I began to improve right away, and when I had finished the third bottle I was completely cured. I have never had a tooth since I got it. I got it to take to a druggist, and I told him I wanted JOHNSTON'S SARSAPARILLA. I would heartily advise all who are suffering from hummocky skin disease of any kind to try it at once. I had also a good deal of stomach trouble, and was run down and miserable, but JOHNSTON'S SARSAPARILLA made me all right."

The blood is your life and if you keep it pure and strong you can positively resist disease or fate contagion fearlessly. JOHNSTON'S SARSAPARILLA never fails. It is for sale by all druggists, in full quart bottles at only one dollar each.

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An Editor's Life Saved by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

During the early part of October, 1896, I contracted a bad cold, which settled on my lungs and was neglected until I feared that consumption had appeared in an incipient stage. I was constantly coughing and trying to expel something which I could not. I became alarmed and after giving the local doctor a trial bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the result was immediate improvement, and after I had used three bottles my lungs were restored to their healthy state.—B. S. Edwards, publisher of the Review, Wyo., Ill. For sale by C. E. Holton, druggist.

The Nid Diminion Steam Company's tug Duray suddenly filled with water and sank at Norfolk, Virginia.

At Springfield, Mass., William Metcalf, a well known local printer and publisher, killed himself by shooting.

Millions Given Away.

It is certainly gratifying to the public to know of one concern in the land who are not afraid to be generous to the needy and suffering. The proprietors of Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, have given away over ten million trial bottles of this great medicine, and have the satisfaction of knowing it has absolutely cured thousands of hopeless cases. Asthma, Bronchitis, Hoarseness and all diseases of the throat, chest and lungs are surely cured by it. Call on C. E. Holton, druggist, and get a trial bottle free. Regular size 50 cents and \$1. Every bottle guaranteed or price refunded.

Free of Charge.

Any adult suffering from a cold settled on the breast, bronchitis, throat or lung troubles of any nature, who will call at Grissom & Fordham's, will be presented with a sample bottle of Boscobell's German Syrup, free of charge. Only one bottle given to one person, and none to children without order from parents. No throat or lung remedy ever had such a sale as Boscobell's German Syrup in all parts of the civilized world. Twenty years ago millions of bottles were given away, and your druggist will tell you its success was marvelous. It is really the only throat and lung trouble generally endorsed by physicians. Only 75-cent bottle will cure or prove its value. Sold by dealers in all civilized countries.

Unlike humanity, the sky is most cheerful when it's bluest.

Al and Death Fight.

Mr. W. A. Hines, of Manchester, Iowa, writing of his al-most miraculous escape from death says: "Exposure after measles induced serious lung trouble, which ended in consumption. I had frequent hemorrhages and coughed night and day. All my doctors said I must soon die. Then I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which completely cured me. I would not be without it even if it cost \$5 a bottle. Hundreds have used it on my recommendation and all say it never fails to cure throat, chest and lung troubles." Regular size 50 cents and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at C. E. Holton's drug store.

The Virginia Senate voted down a motion to adjourn yesterday in honor of Colonel Wm. J. Bryan's visit to Richmond.

Brave Men Fall.

Victims to stomach, liver and kidney troubles as well as women, and all feel the results in loss of appetite, pains in the blood, backache, nervousness, headache and tired, listless, rundown feeling. But there's no need to feel like that. Listen to J. W. Gardner, Idaville, Ind. He says: "Electric Bitters are just the thing for a man when he is all run down, and don't care whether he lives or dies. It did not give me new strength and appetite than anything I could take. I can now eat anything and have a new lease on life." Only 50 cents at C. E. Holton's drug store. Every bottle guaranteed.

Judge William H. Taft, of Cincinnati, Ohio, a noted president of the Philippine Commission, is deluged with applications for official places.

No Cure—No Pay.

That is the way all druggists sell Grove's Tastless Chilli Tonic for Chills and Malaria. It is simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form. Children love it. Adults prefer it to bitter, nauseating tonics. Price 50¢.

During a fire which damaged the Stroh Hotel, at Cincinnati, Ohio, to the extent of \$3,000, Miss Dolly Le Claire, a trapeze artist, descended from a high window on a rope made of bedclothes.

John Ditt, Poseyville, Ind., says: "I never used anything as good as One Minute Cough Cure. We are never without it." Quickly breaks up coughs and colds. Cures all throat and lung troubles. It use will prevent consumption. Pleasant to take. Howard Gardner.

"I had dyspepsia for years. No medicine was so effective as Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It gave immediate relief. Two bottles produced marvelous results," writes L. H. Warren, Albany, Wis. It digests what you eat and cannot fail to cure. Howard Gardner.

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condition which was  
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Clerical Sarcasm.

A clergyman on a recent Sunday

had returned to visit the old

scenes again, "that your son Arthur is

a poet. When I knew him, I never

suspected that he had an inclination in

that direction. I suppose, though, that

you have seen it in him from the

first."

"No," the young man's mother re-plied: "he never gave any indication of it as a boy. His schoolbooks are not,

as one would naturally suppose, scribbled full of rhymes. He did not lip in numbers, as we read that other poets did. Indeed Arthur was about as plain and practical a boy as could be found anywhere."

"That's the way he always seemed to me. When what I discovered that he had this gift?"

"Well, the first time we noticed it on

him was one day after a heavy sign,

which had projected out over the

street, fell as he was walking along

and struck him on the head. As soon

as he regained consciousness he seemed

to be a poet."—Chicago Times-Herald.

VINEGAR.

Vinegar is a diluted form of acetic acid and has been known from the earliest period. Wine vinegar is made from wine lees and inferior wines, primitively in France, but now more commonly obtained from white wines. Malt vinegar is procured from an infusion of malt which has previously undergone fermentation or from apple cider. Vinegar in the form of lotions is a valuable external stimulant.

JOKE ON THE OTHER FELLOW.

His Mother & wife going through

the pockets of his son's clothing

— what do that, do? Irene. Come,

now, do you think it is right?

Wife.—That depends upon the motive.

My object is not necessary. I only

want to play a practical joke upon any

pickpocket who may happen to operate upon dear George.—Boston Transcript.

Artificial flowers were unknown to

the ancient civilized nations of Europe.

They are first mentioned in Italy in the

fourteenth century, but in China they

were known at an earlier date.

The Persians did not punish the

first offense of murder.

THE APPETITE OF A GOAT.

Is evaded by all poor dopes who

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All such should know that Dr. King's

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"When a girl retains her maiden

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It is also the best remedy on earth for

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### BRIEF LOCAL MATTERS.

J. C. Snoddy went down to Sanford today.

John W. Merritt left on the A. & Y. today.

D. Whitlock, of Richmond, is here today.

Victor Bryant, of Durham, is here today.

A. D. Simpson left on 36 today at noon.

R. W. Brooks went down the A. & Y. today.

C. F. Jones, of Charlotte, was here last night.

Thos. G. Snydor, of Richmond, is here today.

C. D. Higgins went down the A. & Y. today.

H. T. Hopkins, of Cleveland, O., is here today.

C. T. Lindsey, of Chapel Hill, was here last night.

R. F. Beasley, formerly of Monroe, is in the city.

A. C. Miley, of Norfolk, Va., is in the city today.

Miss Lottie Peyton returned from Reidsville last night.

The Si Plunkard Company are registered at the Hotel Clegg.

J. M. Hendrix & Co. have a change of ad today. Be sure and read it.

Col. A. B. Andrews passed through last night on his car going north.

Plenty of money to loan. See Southern Loan and Trust Co. ad.—in this issue.

The friends of Hugh Fry will regret to learn of his illness at his home on Arlington street.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitlock, who have been at the McAdoo for some time, left for Richmond, Va., at noon today.

The remains of the tin roof hanging on the third story of Vanstory's store may not be dangerous, but it makes a very unpleasant noise.

R. M. Phillips left this morning for Raleigh to hear the Hon. William J. Bryan, the oratorical cyclone from the plains of Nebraska.

It is reported that Vanstory's store will be ready for occupancy by the 25 of March. The town needs such business as Vanstory & Co.

The friends of John Gray Bryan will be glad to learn that her condition today is not worse, the physicians saying that she is "holding her own."

Misses Lizzie and Annie Leftwich and brother Clem Leftwich, left for Lynchburg today in response to a telegram announcing the illness of their mother.

There is to be a meeting of the executive committee of the good roads club this evening at 4 o'clock in the Southern Loan and Trust company building.

The concert to have been at Mr. Fry's was not postponed. It will be given tonight, but as C. R. Brown's on West Washington street. Only the place was changed.

Ladies clean your kid gloves with LaBelle glove cleaner. It is not a liquid, leaves no odor and can be used while the glove is on the hand. For sale only by Grissom & Fordham, 3m.

The jury returned a verdict for \$5,000 in Gorrell vs. Water Company.

An appeal will probably be taken. The other suits about the Water Co. are Hodgin, Pagram & Co., A. A. Hinkle, Southern Stock Mutual Insurance Co. and B. J. Fisher.

Mr. J. Saunders Gordon, the genial manager of the Schumann Concert Company, acknowledges himself a little superstitious about the number 13. Today is the 13th and he has refused repeated offers to show on the hoodoo day.

Si Plunkard's band paraded the streets today, to the great amusement of the spectators. It was the rubet of the rub type of musical combinations. They show tonight at the academy of music and promises a good show.

The following new recruits left last night for New York city, Johnson W. Graham, Eli W. B. Unay and John K. Wells for Phillipsburg service; Robert Sheppard and Fred Long for Porto Rico. Johnson W. Graham has the distinction of being the first American soldier to march through Havana, Cuba, being drum major of the First North Carolina regimental band. Capt. Vand inform us that recruits are still wanted for all branches of the regular army in Cuba, Porto Rico and the United States.

Schumann Concert Tomorrow Night.

The Schumann Grand Concert Company is registered today at the Advo. House. They will remain in the city until tomorrow evening when they will give their concert at the academy as advertised. The press notices of this company are most flattering, and a thorough enjoyable evening is in store for those who attend.

A Fire and Accident.

A small fire occurred in the old Reese house on West Market today at 2 o'clock. The house is occupied by a family named Andrews. A piece of meat which was being cooked caught on fire and falling on the floor set fire to it. The fire was quickly put out with slight damage. The hose wagon protector turned over at the court house corner throwing John Thomas and Arthur Fields out. Both escaped with a few bruises but no bones broken.

Tonight

Si Plunkard, the roaring, rousing rally of fun as presented by J. C. Lewis and his big company of comedians will create barrels of laughter, from those fond of fun at the Academy of Music tonight. So those who wish an evening to drive away dull care should be on hand to see "Si" and his funny comedians in his new version of the laughing success, Si Plunkard. All new features, new novelties, everything new,

### A MIDNIGHT TRAGEDY

In Which a Citizen of Greensboro and a Billy Goat Figure—Other News.

TELEGRAM BUREAU, 1  
HIGH POINT, Feb. 13.

I have been told a good one on one of Greensboro's brave (?) citizens and as it is most too good to keep, believe I'll tell it: One night, the latter part of last week, this citizen was awakened by an exclamation from his wife, telling him that some one was trying to break into the house. He immediately got out of the bed, armed himself with his shot gun and began a search. On reaching the kitchen he heard a noise on the outside. Just as he opened the door, the thought-to-be burglar jumped off the porch, around the well and commenced to run. In a moment it was all over; the deadly ball of shot from the gun had entered poor Billy's (goat) body, doing its work well, and the little fellow's "spirit" departed to that home from whence no traveler ever returns.

At the next funeral thing as compared to the tragedy is how quiet the incident has been kept by the party. It seems that he told no one in Greensboro about it and has been scanning the papers from there every day since to see if they had found it out and given him a good "roast," as he expected they would.

But as yet they have not failed to get in possession of his well guarded secret. He was here yesterday and thinking he would be safe in telling the story to a few friends, did so. It is remarkable that he kept such a good joke a secret for so long a time. I know my readers are all wanting to know the name of this gentleman, so here goes—Mr. R. F. Rice of Goose Grease fame. I have told the joke as given me by friends, and Mr. Rice will have to hold them responsible for letting the secret out to a newspaper man, whose business is to grab everything in sight in the news line.

Miss Hattie Causey arrived here last night from Greensboro.

Mary Howard, daughter of Judge Howard, arrived here last night to attend the Armfield-Mills marriage. She is the guest of Miss Sallie Mills. Miss Foy of Newbern, is also here to attend the marriage.

Rev. M. A. Kelsey spent yesterday in Greensboro.

The doctor "got it in the neck" every now and then on their rounds to vaccinate. Yesterday in several instances one of the physicians received not shot—not from guns, but from the mouth of individuals. Truly their road is a hard road to travel. Ask Dr. Bright and Chief of Police Bennett if this isn't the truth.

E. W. Freeman, of Pine Bluff, Ark., was here last night.

Ernest R. Carr, of Greensboro, was here last night.

Q. T. Coffey represented Newark, N. J., in this city yesterday afternoon.

MONDAY'S NEWS.

Samuel Coffin, formerly of this place but now superintendent of the Carolina Furniture Company, Durham, is in the city.

H. A. Millis arrived home yesterday morning from Horner's School, Oxford, to be present at the marriage of his sister, Miss Sallie, to Mr. Will J. Armfield in the M. E. church Wednesday evening next.

Ward Eshelman is out again after a week's confinement from a vaccinated arm.

E. C. Laesier, of Asheboro, was a guest of this city yesterday.

J. L. Armfield, cashier of the Bank of Hodgin, Pagram & Co., A. A. Hinkle, Southern Stock Mutual Insurance Co. and B. J. Fisher.

Dr. J. Fulmer Bright, of Richmond, makes the second doctor doing compulsory vaccination here. He seems to know the right way to approach the unvaccinated, which makes it more pleasant to him and those he comes in contact with.

W. J. Armfield, Jr. arrived here from Asheboro Saturday evening.

It seems from the announcement by the mayor in the Enterprise Friday that too many of our citizens hold doctors' certificates which shield them from vaccination. According to accepted authority (Dr. Werthbaker's statement in the opera house here) no one is exempt from vaccination except the dead and those that have smallpox.

This being the case, very few people here can lawfully escape it. The same complaint (too many doctor's certificates) has been made in Winston also. When the board of health or board of alderman examine these certificates we suppose that a majority of them will be condemned—as has been the case in other towns.

One of the physicians here doing compulsory vaccination "struck a snag" in his rounds the other day. He called at an old woman's house and after stating his business she emphatically told him that he could not vaccinate her but if he wanted to just try it on her babe. It is useless to say that the babe was not struck! The doctor has too much work before him to take any risk.

Rev. J. Hall, of Iowa, occupied the pulpit at the M. E. church yesterday morning and the Presbyterian in the evening, preaching an interesting and profitable sermon at each place.

Miss Chrislie Swin, aged 77 years, died yesterday morning at the home of Mr. Geo. Montgomery's, near this city. The funeral and burial service occurred at Spring Hill this afternoon.

The deceased was an aunt of Messrs. W. P. and F. M. Pickett, and Mrs. J. Welch, of this city.

A Floral Fresh.

There is a magnolia tree in the yard of Collector A. L. Brooks on West Washington street, which blooms from June until December. This is a sort of a floral fresh. Its species should be perpetuated.

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### NEW ORDINANCES.

At a regular meeting of the board of aldermen of the city of Greensboro, held Friday night, February 9th, 1900, the following ordinances were adopted:

Be it ordained,

That any person violating any of the quarantine regulations established by the city health officer for the prevention and spread of smallpox, shall upon conviction be fined \$50.

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